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Subject: RE: PolyMet NorthMet Project - Brian Branfireun Meeting Follow Up and Methylmercury Assessment

linda – aside from paula's request for a call, is there any reason why epa needs to talk with her? unless there is some reason to talk with her, i don't think we would need to have a call. thoughts? barbara

From: Holst, Linda

**Sent:** Wednesday, March 23, 2016 12:11 PM **To:** Wester, Barbara <wester.barbara@epa.gov> **Cc:** Swenson, Peter <swenson.peter@epa.gov>

Subject: FW: PolyMet NorthMet Project - Brian Branfireun Meeting Follow Up and Methylmercury Assessment

I'm not exactly following what she means by "an outline for methylmercury assessment responsive to the questions asked by EPA staff." I believe Katie asked if Brian thought there was enough data to do some modeling and he thought there was at one level, using a model that Chris Knightes (ORD) has used.

Barbara – should you be the one contacting her to schedule a brief telephone conference? On that call with the Corps and Paula, we called from Peter's office and had Peter, me, Katie, and Wendy on the phone....Peter, were others from EPA on the call but not in your office? I might have joined after you called in.

From: Paula Maccabee [mailto:pmaccabee@justchangelaw.com]

**Sent:** Wednesday, March 23, 2016 10:33 AM **To:** Holst, Linda <a href="mailto:linda@epa.gov">holst.linda@epa.gov</a>

Subject: PolyMet NorthMet Project - Brian Branfireun Meeting Follow Up and Methylmercury Assessment

Hello Linda,

I would greatly appreciate the opportunity to follow through on the March 1, 2016 email that we sent to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on behalf of WaterLegacy following through on our phone conference with Brian Branfireun and providing an outline for methylmercury assessment responsive to the questions asked by EPA staff.

Please let me know when we can schedule a brief telephone conference.

Sincerely yours,

Paula

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